

Bruns House
Highway 94
St. Charles vicinity
St. Charles County
Missouri

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HISTORICAL AND ARCHITECTURAL INFORMATION

The following information was recorded by Alexander Piaget and Charles van Ravenswaay at the time the photograph was taken:

Built ca 1870. Burned and rebuilt in original style in 1890. Now owned by Miss Elma Bruns.

One and one-half stories on a stone foundation. Brick walls laid in common bond (five rows of stretchers and one row of headers). Interior walls plastered. Heated by stoves. Three rooms downstairs, two rooms upstairs. Ceilings nine feet.

This is one of the typical variations of the "St. Charles type" with a brick cornice laid in an ornamental design, without a front porch.

PROJECT INFORMATION

The Piaget-van Ravenswaay Survey consists of a number of photographs, primarily of sites and structures in Missouri, which were taken before 1938 by Alexander Piaget and after that by Paul Piaget, both in conjunction with Charles van Ravenswaay. Photographs of buildings were incorporated into the HABS collection in 1985 by Laura Rupp and in 1986 by Deborah Fulton, HABS historians. A master list is available in the [REDACTED] records for MO-1800.